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**GOV. EASLEY ANNOUNCES BURKE COUNTY TO RECEIVE \$1,466,400 GRANT FOR
WASTEWATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS**

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley today announced that Burke County will receive a \$1,466,400 state grant to improve wastewater systems.

“These funds will allow Burke County to make much-needed investments in its infrastructure,” Easley said. “This type of investment is key to the area’s success in pursuing economic development opportunities and for improving the environmental performance of its facilities.”

The grant will allow new gravity sewers to be built to improve the Indian Hills pump station project. The project also includes more than 36,000 feet of sanitary sewer lines.

The funding will come from the state’s High Unit Cost Grant Account. Work on the project is slated to begin early 2005.

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